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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of: James Edward Gordon Armour et al.  
Serial No.: 10/808,956  
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Examiner: Vishal A. Patel  
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED AUGUST 1, 2006, AMENDMENT, AND  
REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

This is a Response to the Office Action dated August 1, 2006. Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document. Remarks begin on page 6 of this document. If fees are due, the USPTO is hereby authorized to charge/credit Deposit Account No. 08-2442. Enclosed is a petition for a three month extension of time.